

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application	)	
No.: 09/981,027	)	For: Method and Apparatus for
	)	Processing Shared Subpackets in a
	)	Communication System
Joseph P. Odenwalder	)	
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Examiner: Ho, Chuong T.	)	Docket No.: 020032
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Filed: October 15, 2001	)	Art Unit: 2616

**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**  
**IN ACCORDANCE WITH CFR §1.181**

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Attn: Examiner Chuong T. Ho

Dear Sir:

1. This application was filed on October 15, 2001 and assigned Serial No. 09/981,027.
2. A Non-Final Rejection was mailed to the undersigned on January 30, 2004.
3. A Response to Office Action was mailed to the USPTO on April 7, 2004.

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**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8(a))**  
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4. On May 9, 2007, a Notice of Abandonment was sent electronically to the undersigned.

5. A copy of an Acknowledgement Postcard indicating an Amendment Transmittal Letter in Duplicate, an Amendment (23 pages), and a Postcard was received by the Patent and Trademark Office with an OIPE stamp date of April 9, 2004 is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

6. A print screen from the USPTO PAIR system (transaction history) showing a “Workflow incoming amendment IFW” with a date of April 9, 2004 is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

7. A copy of the Response to Office Action filed on April 7, 2004 is attached hereto.

8. In view of the above events, Applicants respectfully request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn and the Response to Office Action received by the USPTO on April 9, 2004 be entered in this application.

9. Applicants do not believe that any fees are due in connection with the filing of this paper. If, however, it is determined that fees are owed for entry of this paper, Applicants hereby authorize that such fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 17-0026.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein are of his or her own knowledge are true and that statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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